

## MANY TO ATTEND HEALTH MEETING

LANSING CONFERENCE CERTAIN  
TO ATTRACT HEALTH OFFICERS  
AND NURSES.

Lansing, Nov. 23.—The chance to save life!

This motive, rather than an interesting convention week, will bring more than 300 health officers and nurses from every county in the state to the Health Conference to be held in Lansing from Nov. 28 to Dec. 2 under the auspices of the Michigan Department of Health and the Michigan Public Health Association.

"Few people have thrust upon them during a lifetime the responsibility of the health officer and nurse face daily," said Dr. R. M. Olin, commissioner of health, in commenting upon the conference, the first of its kind to be held in the state.

"Chances of preventing death come to the public health worker with startling frequency," he continued. "On his decisions and policies rests much of the vital welfare of every community. To cure the individual—this is the field of the practicing physician; to assist in keeping the community from being composed of sick individuals—that is the function of the public worker. The conference next week should show tangible results in health protection throughout the state."

When the local health representatives arrive in Lansing Monday they will find everything in readiness for the "short-term course" on disease control and health promotion which has been arranged for the definite needs of Michigan communities. National health authorities, as well as foremost men and women of the state, will appear on the conference faculty.

### Local Happenings

#### Tersely Told

Charles H. Goggin was in Stanton on business Monday.

You will find the best bread in Butter Cup wrappers 02-tfc

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown spent Sunday in Ithaca visiting friends.

Howard Holmes of Mt. Pleasant was in the city on business Monday.

George Titus left Monday for Cheboygan to spend Thanksgiving with his son.

Dr. E. G. Slayter, osteopathic physician, State Savings Bank Building, Alma, both phones. 57-tf

James G. Kress of Ithaca, judge of probate of Gratiot county, was in the city on business Monday morning.

Both the public schools and college close today for the Thanksgiving vacation and will re-open the first of the week.

J. E. Elliott and Allen Highfield were among those from Alma who attended the Minnesota-Michigan game at Ann Arbor Saturday.

James Hale of Wyandotte spent the week end in Alma, and attended the Zeta Sigma banquet and the Kalamazoo-Alma football game Saturday.

Professor Roy Hamilton of Alma College was among those from this city who attended the Minnesota-Michigan game at Ann Arbor Saturday.

Tanlac is purely vegetable and is made from the most beneficial roots, herbs and barks known to science. Look-Paterson Drug Co.—advertisement.

The Fortnightly Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. F. N. Notestein, 627 West Center street, Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 29, at 3:00 o'clock.

St. Alma Shrine No. 26 W. S. of J. will hold a ceremonial Tuesday, November 29. Dinner will be served at 6:30 p. m. Candidates and members are urged to be present in time dinner, which will be fifty cents per plate.

The second monthly trade extension sale of the Alma Retail Merchants' Bureau came to a close today. The second sale, like the first, has met with a good success, and has been pleasing not only to the shoppers of this section of the state but to the business men of the city as well.

Mayor Charles R. Murphy, City Manager William E. Reynolds, and Orville Allen have returned from their hunting trip to Ontonagon county, the latter returning Saturday evening and the two city officials on Monday evening. Each of the three returned with a deer. Allen was the most fortunate of the three, getting his deer the first day of the season.

### DAVIS DISTRICT

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Brown are the proud parents of a five pound girl.

Wm. Harper is the new mail carrier on route 1.

The next dance at the hall will be a masquerade December 1.

Clare Foster and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. Andrews near Ithaca.

Mrs. C. Dean is quite sick with a complication of diseases.

Mrs. May Baker of Lansing and Mrs. Emma Casler of Eaton Rapids are caring for their mother, Mrs. Mary Witherell, who fell and dislocated her shoulder a week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Young and mother Mrs. Merwin and Mr. and Mrs. John Baker spent Sunday at the home of Pearl Beard in Newark.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Houser, Wm. Harper and family visited Sunday in Alma with Mr. and Mrs. W. Wise.

### RIVERDALE

Rev. and Mrs. H. R. Strong and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Strong took in the play at Elwell Friday evening.

Mrs. S. Berry of near Sumner is visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. M. Forquer.

Mrs. Norman Brownridge was called to Alma last week on account of the serious illness of her niece, Mrs. Bernice Jennings.

Henry Vieter of Grand Rapids visited friends in this vicinity last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Loece spent Thursday in Owosso, guests of Dr. and Mrs. Claude Parkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bywater and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Carmer spent Wednesday evening and Thursday in Owosso, guests of Doctor and Mrs. Claude Parkinson.

Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Highfield and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mobio and son Donald, attended the entertainment given by the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church at Elwell last Friday evening.

Clifford Elliott of Toronto, Ont., is a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Elliott. He is also visiting friends in Alma for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howe and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Van Leuven.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Wiley and daughter, Beatrice, of Alma were Sunday visitors at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wolfgang.

Mrs. Jessie Lapaugh visited friends at Shepherd last Sunday.

Miss Laura Sadler of Alma was a guest of Mrs. Wm. Parks Saturday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clair Sturdevant, Tuesday, Nov. 15, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Strong of Shepardsville were week end guests of Rev. and Mrs. H. R. Strong.

Mrs. Ashley Lapaugh and son spent several days last week with relatives near Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Jacques and children of Alma were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Jacques Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Battles and son, Vincent, visited relatives near Mt. Pleasant Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Parks has returned from her visit with relatives at Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Britten spent Sunday with their son, Claude and wife north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Maurof north of town entertained the following guests at dinner Thursday: Mr. and Mrs. George Lapaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Lapaugh and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Green and daughter, Hazel.

Doctor and Mrs. Melvin Budge and children of Ithaca were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. George Guilds were Alma visitors Tuesday.

George Allen of Wheeler was in town Tuesday on business.

Henry Holland has accepted a position in a drug store in Grand Rapids.

Harold Whittemore has returned from Lansing.

John Hall is seriously ill at his home south east of town.

Mrs. Brackson Robert visited relatives at St. Louis Saturday.

Harry Palmer of Stanton was in town Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Whittemore and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rockwell north of Elwell, Thursday.

Miss Dagmar VanAlstine who attends Mt. Pleasant Normal spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. VanAlstine.

Mrs. Nile Hamp and son are living in Alma.

Mrs. Agnes Crawford of Breckenridge spent several days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Millard Hopkins.

Mr. and Mrs. A. VanAlstine and daughter, Donna, spent Sunday with relatives near Shepherd.

Miss E. Taylor of Mt. Pleasant was an over Sunday guest of Miss Tella Van Alstine.

Mrs. Bernice Buzzard and son of Alma visited friends in this vicinity Sunday.

Quite a number from Elwell and Sumner attended the dance at Chas. Green's Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fisher spent the week end with relatives near Sumner.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Maurof and son, James, spent last Sunday at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Lapaugh, southeast of town.

Ovid Seaman and Roy Strong were Grand Rapids visitors Friday.

Mrs. B. Nelson of Saginaw was an over Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson entertained relatives from Sumner Center and Elwell Hall Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Carney, Miss Francis Dickinson, and Allen Highfield of Alma were guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Highfield Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Gould visited relatives at Alma Sunday.

Wm. Gilbert of Bay City was in town Tuesday on business.

### SCRIPTURE

Psalms 107:1-8

O give thanks unto the Lord, for he is good: for his mercy endureth forever.

Let the redeemed of the Lord say so, whom he hath redeemed from the hand of the enemy.

And gathered them out of the lands, from the east and from the west, from the north, and from the south.

They wandered in the wilderness, in a solitary way: they found no city to dwell in.

Hungry and thirsty their soul fainted in them.

Then they cried unto the Lord in their trouble, and he delivered them out of their distresses.

And he led them forth by the right way, that they might go to a city of habitation.

Oh that men would praise the Lord for his goodness, and for his wonderful works to the children of men.

For he satisfieth the longing soul, and filleth the hungry soul, with goodness.

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Pork shanks, lb. 9c  
Pork in pickle, lb. 10c-15c  
Sausage, lb. 18c  
Bacon, sugar-cured, lean, lb. 25c  
Corned beef, boneless, lb. 18c  
Lard, home rendered, 5 and 10 lb lots 12c  
Smoked ham, half or whole, lb. 25c  
Smoke ham butts, 4-5 lbs, lb. 15c  
Veal chops, lb. 25c-30c  
Kettle roasts, lb. 22c  
Veal for stewing, good quality lb. 14c-18c  
Fowls and spring chickens, lb. 20c-25c  
Genuine spring lamb, well fat-  
ted, chops, roasts and stews

Lake trout, lb. 25c  
Cheese, full cream, lb. 25c  
Milk, tall can 11c  
Kansas Bread flour, best quality short patent per bbl. \$8.00  
per sack \$1.05  
5 lb. sack Prepared Pancake Flour 30c  
5 lbs. corn meal 15c  
Ginger Snaps, 2 lbs. 25c  
Sugar, per cwt. \$6.25  
Karo Syrup 10 lb pail 60c  
Macaroni 3 lbs 27c  
Butter crackers, best quality in box lots 12 1/2c  
Peaches in syrup, No. 2 1/2 can 20c  
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